

Frequently Asked Questions

Early Childhood Education

How many children will be in the classroom?

There will be 18 children in the Lollipop Classroom. There will be 20 children in the Fun and Friends and Kinder classes.

Does my child have to be potty trained?

Yes, every child must be completely potty trained before registering for class. Child must be able to use the bathroom facilities without direct assistance from an adult. Children still wearing disposable pull-ups or training pants are not considered ready for the program.

Is my child required to have a TB test?

No, the City no longer requires a TB test.

Does my child need to wear a mask?

Yes, according to the CDC, when they are indoors every child over the age of two is required to wear a mask that covers both mouth and nose.

Can I stay with my child for the entirety of the class?

No, unfortunately due to COVID-19 parents cannot enter the classroom. You must say good-bye outside. One of the main purposes of the ECE program is to foster independence in your child.

If my child just has a runny nose/cold can he still attend class?

No, if your child exhibits any symptoms of any type of illness, he/she may not attend class. We want to do our best to keep everyone healthy.

Do I need to bring anything for my child?

Yes, you will need to purchase the following supplies for your child:

Crayons

Washable markers

Child size scissors

Eraser

They will also need a small box that all the supplies will fit into and has a lid that closes tight. Put all their supplies in the box and bring it on the first day. They will also need a snack and a water bottle for them to drink as the water fountain will be inoperable. It is best for your child if they have a backpack to put their snack, water bottle and jacket in. Your child's box of supplies will be kept in their cubby for the entire session. It creates less of a chance that it is forgotten at home.

